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Art Unit: 2672

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TRANSPARENT PIXELS

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Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$280.00	
One-month Extension of Time				\$110.00	
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- ☒ Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this amendment and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ A Marked-up Version of Amended Claims and Specifications Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121(b)-(c) is attached.
- ☒ Please return the enclosed postcard to confirm that the items listed above have been received.

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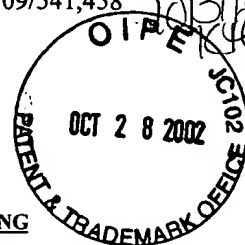
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FIRST AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 22, 2002, Paper No. 8, please enter the present response.

In the Specification:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121(b), please amend the specification by replacing the paragraph at page 1, line 8 with the following paragraph in clean form:

Images that are displayed on displays of computers and computerized devices typically are made up of a number of pixels. Each pixel usually has associated with it a color value. For example, with monochrome (black-and-white) pictures, a black pixel may have a value of one, while a white pixel may have a value of zero, such that the color of any pixel can be described with one bit, referred to as the color depth of the pixel. Non-monochrome – viz., color – pixels typically have a greater color depth, made of two, four, eight, or even more bits. For example, pixels that have a color depth of eight bits can take on any of  $2^8 = 256$  different colors.